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VENDUE.

ON TUESDAY and FRIDAY, in every week, at 10 o'clock in the morning, will be exposed for sale at the Vendue-Store corner of Prince and Water streets,

A VARIETY OF

Wet and Dry Goods,

of which the particulars will be given previous to the sale.

The business of VENDUE MASTER having devolved entirely on the subscriber, he informs the Public, that the store will always be kept open for the reception of GOODS, and selling such articles therein, between the times of Public Sales, as may be on limitation. He likewise offers his services in transacting any kind of Commission Business,

PHILIP C. MARSTELLER.

TIMOTHY HAY

In Bundles
FOR SALE,
By JOSEPH RIDDLE & CO.

April 12.

TO BE LET,

And Possession given immediately,
A HOUSE and HALF-ACRE LOT, with a stable and coach-house thereon, situated at the junction of Cameron and Pitt Streets, now in the occupation of Col. Mar. steller.

JAMES ANDERSON.

Mount Vernon, March 10, 1800. tf

For Sale or Charter,

The Schooner
EVELINA,
Burthen 800 barrels, sails fast, and in complete order to take a cargo on board.

W. HODGSON.

April 5. tf

MARCUS,

One of the House-Servants at Mount Vernon,

ABSCONDED on the second instant, and since has not been heard of. He is a young lad, about 16 years of age, a bright Mulatto, dark blue eyes, long black hair, about 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, and of a slender make. He had on when he left this place a coat and jacket of dark mixture, black and white, and black breeches—but having various suits, one of black, and another of very light drab, it is uncertain which of these he now wears. Originally his name was Billy, and possibly he may resume the same. It is very probable he may attempt to pass for one of those Negroes that did belong to the late General Washington, and whom Mrs. Washington intends in the Fall of this year to liberate—the public are therefore warned against any such imposition, as he is one of those Negroes which belong to the estate of Washington P. Custis, Esq and held by right of dower by Mrs. Washington during her life.

I will give Ten Dollars Reward to any person who shall apprehend the said Negro and lodge him in some safe gaol, upon producing me a certificate to that effect; and will also pay all reasonable charges over and above this Reward, for the delivery of him to me at this place.

Ship Masters are hereby forewarned not to take on board Marcus; and those who are found to secrete or harbour him, will be punished as the law directs.

JAMES ANDERSON.

Mount Vernon, April 11. tf

I Will contract for the delivery of any quantity of good White Oak Plank of any thickness, White Oak or Gum Logs—and if wanted, I could have House Framing of any size sawed, either of Oak or Gum. The above articles can be delivered in Alexandria, or at the Head of Dogue Creek.

W. H. FOOTE.

Hayfield, March 26. 3w

WOOD

WILL BE DELIVERED,
AT
Pamonky Landing,
About 18 miles below Alexandria,
To any person who may wish to purchase any number of Cords, on the cheapest Terms. Apply to the Printer hereof.

POEMS,

ON THE
DEATH
OF
GENERAL WASHINGTON,
Composed by C. Love, of Alexandria,
For Sale at this Office, and the Book-Store of J. V. Thomas.
Price 75 Cents each.

SALT.

Two Thousand Bushels of clean Turk's Island Salt afloat, for Sale by J. & T. VOWELL.

April 5. 3t

Robert Patten

HAS FOR SALE,
Sugar in hogsheads and barrels,
Coffee in bags and casks,
Rum in hogsheads,
And a few Pipes of OLD FRENCH BRANDY, which he will exchange for produce, or sell at a credit of 90 or 120 days.

March 20.

R. T. Hooe & Co.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED,
From Hamburg, by the schooner Neptune, Capt. Coleman, and
HAVE FOR SALE,
A Quantity of Hessian Linens, Britannias, Platillas and Bagging.

They have likewise on hand a few bales of British Shirtings, Barbadoes Sugar in hhds. and barrels, and a few hhds. of Molasses.

Alexandria, January 25. 1800. tf

Fairfax, ff. *March Court*, 1800.

Washington Bowie, Plaintiff,
vs.
William B. Magruder, Tho's Lund Washington, William H. Washington, and John Luke, Defts. } In Chancery.

THE Defendants, William Burrell Magruder and Thomas Lund Washington, not having entered their appearance and given security, according to the act of Assembly, and the rules of this Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that they are not inhabitants of this Commonwealth—on the motion of the said Plaintiff, by his Counsel, it is ordered, that the said Defendants do appear here on the first day of June Term next, and answer the bill of the Plaintiff; and that the said Defendants, Washington and Luke, do not pay, convey away, or secrete any of the Debts, Monies, or Effects of the other Defendants, in their hands, until the further order and decree of this Court—And that a Copy of this Order be forthwith inserted in the Newspaper, printed in Alexandria, for two months successively, and posted at the front door of the Court House of the County of Fairfax.

(A Copy)
Test, G. DENEALE, C. F.

At a Court of Hustings, held for the Town of Alexandria, 7th day of December, 1799.

John Potts, Plaintiff,
vs.
Tench Ringold, and Joseph Mandeville and Robert B. Jamesson, Defts. } In Chancery.

THE Defendant, Tench Ringold, not having entered his appearance and given security, according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that he is not an inhabitant of this Commonwealth—on the motion of the said Plaintiff, by his Counsel, it is ordered, that the said Defendant do appear here on the first day of July Term next, and answer the Bill of the Plaintiff; and that the said Defendants, Joseph Mandeville and Robert B. Jamesson, do not pay, convey away, or secrete any of the debts, monies, or effects of the other Defendant, in their hands, until the further decree or order of this Court—And that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in one of the Newspapers printed in Alexandria, for two months successively, and posted at the front door of the Court-House of the County of Fairfax.

(A Copy)
Test, G. DENEALE, C. C.

TO RENT,

The House in Town, I now live in, and one Acre of Ground, on Duke Street, well enclosed, with a small House on it. Apply to

BENJAMIN DULANY.

March 29. tf

I intend to leave these States in a few days, and embark for Europe. All those having claims against the firm of Bolte and Focke will please to bring them in.

CHARLES FOCKE.

Alexandria, April 2.

In future I shall attend the High Court of Chancery as well as the Court of Appeals.

BEN. BOTTS.

February 28.

The lately imported, high bred Horse,

PUNCH.

WILL cover Mares until the first of August next, at Mr. Rhoads's Little Hotel, City of Washington, at 20 dollars each, and one dollar to the Groom. The money to be paid at the time of covering, or before the mares are taken away.

Punch was bred by Lord Sherbourne, and got by King Herod, which was the sire of the Prince of Wales's Rockingham, and Mr. Tattersall's Highflyer; his dam by old Marsk—Marsk was the sire of the noted horse Eclipse, and the imported horse, Shark, Pretender, and many others of the best runners in England; so that the blood of Eclipse and Highflyer is centered in Punch, which horses were never beaten. His grand dam by Lord Cullen's Arabian; great grand dam by Regulus, out of Ruth's Black Eyes—Black Eyes was got by Crab, out of the Warlock Galloway. He was purchased by Sir J Lade, when rising four years old, for 1000 guineas, who named him Punch. When three years old, he run in the name of Lord Sherbourne's Chesnut Colt, which may be seen in the Racing Calender.

In 1784, when four years old, Punch won a match at New Market of 300 guineas each, beating a colt of Lord Barrington's, and giving 3lb. He won the plate at Lambourn, and another at Gloucester; and afterwards won two matches at New Market. In 1785, he won the plate at Oxford, beating Col. O'Kelley's General, who won the gold cup that year, and Mr. Tomb's Tetrarch. He won the plate at Burford, beating Wilbreham, Mountebank, and General; and the plate at Lambourn, at five heats, beating Copper Bottom and three others. In 1786 he won a sweepstake of 50 guineas each, at Winchester, beating Fortunio, Egham, and several others; and a sweep stake of 50 guineas each, at Stockbridge, beating Serjeant, Miss Kingsland, and several others.

N. B. He won forty two fifty pounds plates, besides matches and sweepstakes, while in possession of Sir John Lade.

☞ Good grass for mares, and every proper attention paid them, but not liable for accidents or escapes; and every attention will be paid to prevent either.

March 24. 3w

THE Subscriber will either sell or rent, the HOUSE in which he now lives, on Fairfax Street; the HOUSE on King Street, near Royal Street, adjoining the house now occupied by Mr. Pomery; the HOUSE on King Street, near Washington Street, now occupied by Mr. Hugh Adrain; and the ROOM, where the Dancing School was lately kept by Mr. Lefebre.

He will lease for one or more years, either the whole or part of his Pasture Ground, adjoining the Mall, and extending to Hunting-Creek; and that part of Jones's Point, between Mr. Patterson's house and the Fort.

STEPHEN COOKE.

March 26. tf

I WISH TO RENT FOREVER, about 30 BUILDING LOTS, lying on Prince, Duke and Henry Streets; one 20 feet front, some 108, some 88, and some less in depth.

ALEXANDER PERRY.

March 29.

N. B. A Horse and Chair to hire.

The Eagle Tavern.

THE subscriber respectfully notices its former customers, and the public generally, that the management of this INN is now under his immediate direction. From inclination and interest he will aim to please—and being provided with a good Stock of Liquors, and every thing else requisite for the convenient and comfortable accommodation of his customers, he flatters himself he will receive proportionate encouragement.

He again requests those who are indebted to William M'Knight, to come forward and settle their respective ballences, in order that he may be enabled to discharge such claims as may be against the same.

CHARLES M'KNIGHT.

March 22.

N. B. The subscriber wishes to Let the STORE and CELLER, on corner of King and Royal Streets, a stand equal to any in this place for Retail business. C. M'K.

☞ NOTICE.

THE County Court of Fairfax is adjourned from the Town of Alexandria to the new Court House, in the centre of the County, where all Suitors, & others having business, are hereby notified to attend, on the third Monday in April next—and the Freeholders of the County of Fairfax are also notified that on the fourth Wednesday in April next and Election will be held at the said new Court House, for one Senator and two Representatives, to serve in the next General Assembly.

WILLIAM DENEALE,
Sheriff of Fairfax.

March 24.

FEDERALIST,

(got by St. George)
NOW IN HIGH PERFECTION,

WILL stand the ensuing season at Mr. E. Washington's smith's shop, on Tuesdays and Wednesdays—at Mr. John Stewart's tavern (near Mr. Ricketts's mill) on Thursdays and Fridays, and at the subscriber's stable on Saturdays, and Mondays, to cover mares at the moderate price of FIVE DOLLARS; which may be discharged by the payment of FOUR in the season, which will commence on the first day of April, and end on the 15th July. Federalist was got by old imported St. George, and came out of a thorough bred mare which was got by imported Eclipse—his grand-dam by Nonpareille—his great-grand-dam by the old imported Jolly Roger. The appearance of the horse denotes strength and activity. Therefore it is unnecessary to say more of him.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS ALSO

A Stout Young Jack,

(got by the old Knight of Malta) which will stand at the subscribes's stable, the ensuing season, and cover mares at the moderate price of SIX DOLLARS.

DANIEL M'C. CHICHESTER.

March 18. 7w1aw.

IMPORTED,

By the Subscriber, in the ship Perseverance, from Liverpool, via Baltimore, and now opened, at his Store, on King Street, next door to Messrs. Andrew & W'm Ramsay's.

A Neat and extensive assortment of printed calicoes and chintzes, a great variety of furniture calicoes, calico, shirting from 2s8 to 4s4 sterling cost, Scotch and Wilting carpets; with suitable borders, stair carpeting, ladies' fashionable hats and bonnets, gentlemen's fashionable hats, ladies' muffs and tippets, a few pair of elegant looking glasses, elegant japann'd tea trays, tea caddies, &c. plate warmers, mahogany knife cases, with ivory handled knives and forks complete, a few elegant register stoves.

ELEGANT PRINTS,
With gilt and gold frames, viz.

Representation of the Battle of the Nile in four different views, portrait of Admiral Nelson, Lord Howe's Victory 1st June, 1794, Sortie of Gibraltar during the memorable siege, Death of Major Pierson, &c. &c.

STATIONARY.

Blank books, writing paper, Dutch quills, &c.

GARDEN SEEDS,

Assorted in small boxes, costing about 30s. sterling each. These seeds were put up late in October last, by a Seedsman of reputation in London.

The above goods are offered on very moderate terms, for Cash or Country Produce.

ROBERT PATTON.

March 6.

☞ WANTED IMMEDIATELY,
By the Potomak Company,

ABOUT 30 stout, able-bodied MEN, as Labourers, who will receive liberal wages, and be hired by the month, but under full certainty of meeting with steady employment from said Company, nearly, if not altogether, to the close of the present year; during which service good wholesome provisions, with suitable drink, will be supplied for their subsistence. Application to be made either to the Subscriber, in George Town, or to Mr. Balfred Sewall, at the Great Falls.

JOSEPH CARLETON,
Treasurer P. Comp.

George Town, March 29, 1800. 3w

By virtue of a Deed of Trust from Baldwin Dade to the Subscriber, for the purpose of raising the sum of 4,000 Dollars, with interest thereupon, from the 16th of April, 1799, due from the said Dade to William Hodgson.

Will be exposed to Public Sale,

On the tenth day of May next, at the Coffee-House, in the Town of Alexandria, for ready money,

A Piece or Parcel of Land,

Contiguous to the Town of Alexandria, lying upon both sides of the George-Town road, and extending from thence down to the river Potomak; containing by estimation 83 acres. A more particular description of the land may be had by a reference to the Deed of Trust, in the possession of William Hodgson.

THOMAS SWANN.

April 8. tf

A Man, who can come well recommended for his sobriety, honesty, industry and knowledge in the Distilling Business, will meet with good encouragement by applying to the subscriber, living near Upper Marlborough, Prince George's County, Maryland.

COLMORE BEANES.

April 2. 3w

The Columbian Mirror
AND
ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE

PHILADELPHIA, APRIL 9.

Laſt evening arrived at the Point, the ſhip Fame, Capt Jones, from London, which ſhe left on the 5th Feb. By this arrival, we have received files of London papers to the 31 February. Upon a curſory peruſal, we perceive in them many intereſting articles hitherto unpubliſhed here, but are obliged to omit them at preſent for want of room.

On her paſſage, the Fame had an action with a French privateer, the particulars of which are contained in the following letter to the Editor.

MR. BRADFORD,

The 24th ult. in lat. 25. N. long. 60, 40, W. ſteering WNW we obſerved about 2 o'clock, P. M. a ſch'r ſtanding to the ſouthward and her fore topmaſt gone, and about half paſt three could diſtinctly ſee another on our lee bow ſteering the ſame courſe, ſhewing French colours. Soon after 4, the latter was ſo near us as to diſtinguiſh that ſhe mounted 12 guns and appeared full of men, and conjectured the former to be a prize.

Apprehending an attack, we had every thing in perfect order to receive them *cordially!* A gun was fired to windward, which we returned by firing a broadſide and hoiſting our colors, conſequently continued a vigorous and well directed fire, till ſhe took ſhelter under our ſtern, when a bloody flag was elevated at her foretop maſt head.

We hauled to windward and again brought our guns to bear upon her, and renewed our fire with animation till 7 P. M. when ſhe got out of the reach of our guns, in order to repair what damage ſhe had evidently ſuſtained.

I am very happy to obſerve that, we had the good fortune to eſcape danger, from their firing ſo much at random; as ſhe followed us, all night, we expected when their damage was repaired the action would be renewed, and for fear of being ſurprized continued at our different ſtations, diſdaining! *to yield to the daſtardly pirates.*

However, next morning at 6 A. M. ſhe ſtood after us with *her Bloody Flag* diſplayed as before and ſoon commenced the action, which was continued warmly on both ſides for the ſpace of three quarters of an hour when they found it prudent, to ſheer away a ſecond time, and having the ſuperiority of ſailing were ſoon out of the reach of our guns, we were again very fortunate to eſcape unhurt.

About the middle of the day we were becalmed, and expected their rowing along ſide to make a third effort, they certainly would have ſucceeded in galling, if not totally deſtroying us; at all events we were determined to periſh rather than yield to the infernal miſcreants! preferring an honourable death to the treatment we anticipated from theſe blood thirſty monſters! In this we were agreeably diſappointed, for we obſerved them at work all day, cutting out two ports in her bow. At midnight a fine breeze ſprung up, we continued our courſe and obſerved her following; 6 P. M. on the 26th the bloody flag was hoiſted and ſoon was ſo near, that our ſtern chaſer could bear upon her which was alternately returned from her bow guns.

We were now anxious to bring her to a cloſer action than before which they perceived and carefully avoided; ſeeing their ſhyneſs we rounded too and engaged her ſmartly for twenty minutes, during which time they fired a conſiderable number of muſkets, and ſheered off a third time hauling down her bloody emblem, and left us to continue our courſe without doing us any harm.

I now beg leave to obſerve that capt. Jones, his officers, and crew, behaved with the moſt undaunted courage and diſcharged their duty with ſpirit and animation; ſome of the paſſengers alſo behaved gallantly and more particularly captain Haylander, Mr. Graham and Mr. Cooper, thoſe gentlemen contributed by their conſtant ardour and ſpirited bravery to our ſuperiority over the deteſtable renegadoes.

I am ſir your moſt obedient ſervant,
T. M'CALLUM.
Paſſenger in the ſhip Fame from London.

Extract of a letter from William Savage Eſq. Agent of the United States of America, at Jamaica, to the Secretary of State, dated Kingſton, 26th February, 1800.

"On the day of the date of my laſt [12th February] there was a meeting of the Privy Council of this Iſland, when it was recommended to the Governor to permit produce to be taken off in American veſſels to the amount of the value of the goods imported in the ſame bottom. I have enclоſed a true copy of the Reſolve of the Council."

IN COUNCIL,
12th February, 1800.

RESOLVED, that his Honor the Lieutenant Governor be adviſed to recommend to the ſeveral officers of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms, at the ſeveral Ports in this Iſland, to permit the free importation of Sheep, Hogs, Poultry, ſmall live ſtock of all kinds, and all ſorts of fruit, ſalted and all other proviſions, and lumber of every deſcription, as well in Britiſh as in all other veſſels belonging to neutral and other States in amity with Great Britain, from the day of the date hereof until the firſt day of Auguſt and until ſix months notice ſhall be given to the contrary upon the like terms, charges, and conditions, and ſubject to the ſame rules, regulations, viſitations and ſearches as are obſerved with reſpect to veſſels importing proviſions to this Iſland.

Reſolved, That all veſſels belonging to the United States of America, importing the foregoing articles under the authority of the above reſolutions, be permitted for the ſpace of ſix months from the date hereof, to export from any port or ports, place or places, of this Iſland, ſuch articles as may be exported to foreign ports, upon the like terms, ſtipulations, charges and conditions, as are obſerved with reſpect to Britiſh veſſels in the like caſes, provided the produce to be ſo exported ſhall not exceed the value of the goods imported by the ſame veſſel, which ſhall be aſcertained by the oath of the Captain or Maſter of every ſuch veſſel reſpectively, before he ſhall be permitted to clear out his ſaid veſſel at the Cuſtom Houſe.

M. ATKINSON.
Kingſton (Jam.) Feb. 25, 1800.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the original, delivered me by the Collector of this Port.

WILLIAM SAVAGE.
Agent to the United States of America.

NEW YORK, APRIL 7.

Thurſday next is intended to be the day for launching the frigate *Preſident*, of 44 guns. This ſhip is allowed by the beſt judges of naval architecture, to be as handſome a model and as good workmanſhip as was ever put together: and as to her materials, *'tis Live Oak.*

APRIL 8.

Capt. Hughes, the 31 inſt. was boarded by the Cleopatra frigate, the Aſia, of 64 guns, then in company was informed, that the body of Admiral Vandeput was put in ſpirits, and ſent to England.

Capt. Manſfield, in lat. 30, was boarded by the Engliſh ſloop of war Phenlant, and was informed, that they had fallen in with a United States brig, with 3 French privateers in tow. The brig Speedwell, Crawford, was captured by the French the day ſhe ſailed from St. Vincents.

RALEIGH, APRIL 8.

Laſt week, ſome ſerious diſagreement having taken place between two men of the names of Bridges and Simms, near Smithfield, we underſtand the former way laid the latter, and ſhot him; and on flying from his purſuers, Bridges was afterwards ſhot at and wounded. He is now lodged in Smithfield gaol.

At a muſter near Neuſe River, in Johnſton, on Saturday, in riding a race Mr. Jeſſe Hinton was unfortunately killed, by his horſe flying out of the road with him, and running againſt a tree.

FROM THE PHILADELPHIA GAZETTE.

MESSRS. BROWN & RELF,

By Mr. Kitchen's books of this day I obſerve that two other valuable East Indiamen have arrived in the Delaware. I agree with you, that the proſperity of our commerce is a ſubject of exultation to all claſſes of citizens; but I think that this proſperity is not to be attributed altogether to chance, and that we ſhould never loſe an opportunity of giving to the government of our country that praiſe to which its conſtant endeavors for the protection of ourſelves and our property, is ſo well entitled.

The city of Philadelphia loſt during the laſt year, Six Indiamen, captured by the French, out of 14; but this ſeaſon NINE out of EIGHTEEN have arrived ſafe, and we have no accounts yet of the loſs of any of the others.—This unexpected ſucceſs is, in part, owing to captain Truxton, who ſo gallantly ſtruck at the Vengeance on the returning track of our Indiamen, of which we ſhould have undoubtedly loſt ſeveral but for the ſore crippling by Truxton, which forced the Vengeance from her cruiſing ground into Curracoa.—The remark cannot be too often repeated, that to the exertion of our naval Commanders the preſent flattering ſtate of our commerce muſt in a great degree, be attributed. Let the clamours againſt the Navy be ſilenced forever.

MERCARTOR.

LONDON, FEBRUARY 3.

The value of the eſtate beſtowed upon the Abbe Sieyes is uncertain, nor have we at this diſtance the means of knowing. When known, however, it will not be eaſy to compare the value of the reward with the importance of the ſervice—perhaps it may be given him to *ſtop up his pigeon holes* for ever.

Forced loans and *hand cuffed volunteers* have been much the faſhion during the preſent war, and are among its diſtinguiſhing characteriſtics; but it was reſerved for the French to exhibit the inimitable example of a *forced penſion!*

Madame Stael compares Roger Ducos, in his relation to his two colleagues Buonaparte and Sieyes, to a piece of cotton ſtuffed between two china vaſes to prevent them knocking againſt each other. The idea is ingenious, and ſeems likewiſe to be very juſt. If two of the conſuls are great men, the third is a very uſeful one.

All the deliverers of Switzerland agree in evacuating that country for the winter ſeaſon. It is, perhaps, one of the fineſt encomiums on the bleſſings of the preſent war, that it tends to render every country where it has *done good*, unfit to *live in!*

There cannot be a more ſtriking inſtance of the caprice of Fortune, than that the preſent ſovereign of France ſhould be a CORSICAN, and her Majeſty a CREOLE!

An aged ſeaman, named Edward Hardeaſtle, died lately at Goſport. He was celebrated for the following exploit:—During the viſit which the Duke of York paid to Admiral Rodney, on board the Marlborough, in 1791, he got to the very top of the vane of the main-maſt, and ſtood there on his head, waving his hat ſeveral times with his foot. He received a preſent from his Royal Highneſs, with a requeſt not to repeat ſo dangerous a proof of his dexterity.

The LOLLIA PAULINA of the preſent day is Madame Buonaparte, who, it is ſaid, on her own perſon exhibits gems, diamonds, and antiques to the value of more than 200,000l. ſterling. The philanthropiſt, who ſaid he never looked at a lump of ſugar without fancying that it was ſpotted with the blood of Negroes, would ſee many ſtrange images in thoſe gems. Provinces deſolated, and thouſands of families ſtraying naked and without bread, would, without the aſſiſtance of much imagination, occur to the mind of any one who beheld the gaudy pageant of the day adorned with the ſpoils of ruined nations:

"Can all theſe gems make pa'lid Hippea glow,
"Or in her boſom heal the throbs below?"

HAMBURG, JANUARY 4.

The elevation of Buonaparte to the firſt Conſulate of France, in which he is inveſted with more powers than any conſtitutional king, will only tend to encreaſe the difficulties of pacification, for neither Francis II. nor Paul I. will condeſcend to have ſuch a colleague in negociation. The cabinet of Vienna, which is now well acquainted with the policy of the French, is preparing with the utmoſt activity for the opening of the campaign; and the moment the ſeaſon will permit, and the reduction of Genoa ſhall take place, General Melas will attempt to penetrate into the French territory, while the Archduke will be, in every reſpect, prepared to receive the French, ſhould they make any effort to enter Suabia.

"The Manheim Gazettes announce, that an Auſtrian courier paſſed the Rhine on the 3d inſt. with important diſpatches from the Archduke—Some perſons thought, that theſe diſpatches not only related to the concluſion of an armiſtice, but even of a peace. It appears certain, that on the firſt intelligence that the Ruſſians were to return, Buonaparte judged it expedient to make ſome propoſitions relative to peace to the court of Vienna: but it is equally certain that the latter (the return of the Ruſſian army being agreed on) has determined to continue the war, and to puſh the advantage which it has already obtained. The emperor of Ruſſia is not at all inclined to make peace with Buonaparte. He deſires the reſtoration of the lawful king of France; and therefore, he will make the greateſt efforts this year.

"The French would be extremely glad of a ſuſpenſion of arms, that their armies might be put a proper ſtate by the enſuing ſpring;—but the Archduke, who muſt alſo pay attention to the ſyſtem of the Ruſſian emperor, will not allow himſelf to be thus made a dupe.

"Sweden having recalled her legation from France, Denmark will adopt a ſimilar meaſure. Mr. Dreyer, Daniſh miniſter at Paris, is recalled, and it is underſtood that no ſucceſſor will be appointed."

CONSTANTINOPLE, NOV. 25.

Intelligence of a very diſaſtrous kind has juſt been received from the grand vizier. He took ſix months to march from Scutari to Damas, and the contributions that he raiſed for the ſubſiſtence of his army, have alienated the minds of the inhabitants of Aſia Minor, from the government of the Porte.

When the news reached him at Ervan, that the Turks were defeated at Aboukir, nearly one half of his army diſbanded on its way to Aleppo.

The French general Kleber diſpatched to El-Ariſot a body of troops, to protect that place, and prevent the paſſage of the Deſart. The grand vizier transferred his camp to the utmoſt cultivated part of Syria, at the beginning of the Deſarts of Egypt. He remained there 15 days, making every preparation, and collecting camels and ſkins, to enable him to traverſe a Deſart eighty leagues in extent.

General Kleber having been informed of his preparations, reinforced the French advanced guard at El-Ariſot, repaired to that place in perſon, and on the 22d of October marched forward at the head of 2000 dragoons of French huſſars, and a regiment of 1000 men mounted on dromedaries, with foot ſoldiers behind them. He alſo took with him a great number of light field pieces, and having made a circuit in the deſart, arrived in the rear of the enemy's camp at break of day, nearly about the ſame time when a corps of 10000 infantry had arrived at the well of Scoubtah, about a league and a half diſtance from the camp. The grand vizier thus unexpectedly attacked, could not make a long reſiſtance; and the French took the camp, a part of his baggage and ſeveral thouſand priſoners.

The grand vizier immediately retreated with the remains of his army towards Damas which is 10 days march from Gaza.

The French have levied very large contributions in the province of Gaza, particularly in oil and tobacco, which are very much wanted in Egypt. They have left a ſtrong garriſon in El-Eriſch, and a number of engineers to complete the works. They have alſo collected at that place near 10,000 Turkiſh priſoners, who are conſtantly employed in finiſhing the works. The intelligence has cauſed a great conſternation among the members of the Divan, and increaſed the number of thoſe attached to the French. It is thought that the grand vizier will be diſgraced, and no hopes are entertained at Conſtantinople of reconquering Egypt.

Lord Elgin has arrived at Conſtantinople, and has aſſumed the character of ambaſſador of his Britannic majeſty.

Poſt-Office, Alexandria,
April 7, 1800.

The Summer Arrangement of the Mails having commenced, the Northern and Southern Mails will both arrive every Evening (Sundays excepted) at 6 o'clock—and cloſe every evening (Saturdays excepted) at 9 o'clock precisely.

The Weſtern Mail will arrive, as uſual, every Saturday at 4 o'clock, P. M.—and cloſe on Sunday morning, at 8 o'clock.

Office Hours at the Poſt-Office every day,
(Sundays excepted.)
From 9 to 12 o'clock, A. M.
From 4 to 9 o'clock, P. M.
JAMES M. M'REA, P. M.

Patent Ploughs.

Juſt received by the Tryall, Capt. Hand, from Philadelphia, and for Sale,

NEWBOLD's PATENT PLOUGHS.

From their peculiar conſtruction it is acknowledged by thoſe who have made the experiment, that they run much eaſier than thoſe they hitherto uſed—and in New Jerſey and Pennſylvania their ſuperiority has given them a decided preference. Should they be approved of here, which they no doubt will, a conſtant ſupply will be kept on hand. Apply to

C. RIDGWAY, or
PATTEN & BUTCHER.
April 5. 1f

MADDER.

1,500 Weight of Madder juſt imported, and of the firſt quality, for Sale by

ROBERTS & GRIFFITH.
April 8. 2aw—2aw3w

Alexandria, April 15.

The Brig Union, Leonard, for Alexandria, was lying in the River Thames, with a number of other American veſſels for different ports in the United States, on the 3rd of February.

Gouverneur Morris is choſen a Senator of the United States, from New York, in the room of James Watſon, reſigned.

Married, on Sunday evening, Mr. WILLIAM BARTLEMAN, Merchant, to Miſs MARGARET DOUGLASS, both of this town.

Extract of a letter from Savannah la-Mar, dated the 11th inſtant.

"Laſt Thurſday an American ſchooner was coming in with very little wind, when a privateer was diſcovered to leeward, which, rowing with 12 ſweeps on a ſide, came up very faſt, and would ſoon have captured the ſchooner, had not a light breeze fortunately ſprung up, which enabled the ſchooner to get in under cover of the ſhips in the harbor, but the privateer came ſo cloſe in, that a good many ſhot were fired at her, ſome of which went over her; and he had the impudence in return to fire three ſhot among the ſhips, which alſo went over them without doing any damage; but, ſeeing a veſſel in the offing, ſhe ſtood out and captured her. She proved to be the Good Hope, captain Twineman, for Falmouth, and it is ſaid will be a valuable prize to her."

"The American ſchooner Patowmac, from Curracoa bound to Boſton, with cotton, hides, &c. detained by his majeſty's ſhip Arab, arrived on Monday."

"By a gentleman from New Providence we learn, that the privateers, belonging to that iſland, are conſtantly ſending in ſmall American Guineamen, bound to the Havanna; theſe veſſels are chiefly ſloops and ſchooners, the largeſt only ſhips rigged, and carry from 50 to 100 negroes; except thoſe proved to be Spaniſh property, all have been ſuffered to proceed on their voyage."

Extract of a letter from St. Bartholomew's, dated February 16.

"The admiſſion of French Planters who have property at Martinique, but were abſent for ſome time, becomes very difficult ſince the arrival of Victor Hugues at Cayenne. Yeſterday we received here the certain tidings that this bold and enterpriſing man has taken poſſeſſion of Demarara; and it is apprehended that he wont ſtop there, but that he is likely to carry his views on ſome other point, having a conſiderable force under his command."

BAD NEWS.

Captain Bell arrived here laſt evening in the ſchooner Americana, informs that on the 24th of March, off Guadaloupe, he fell in with the John Adams, the captain of which informed him that the U. S. ſloop of war, Merrimack had been taken by a French ſhip of war, off Cayenne. (N. Y. D. A.)

[From the account we publiſhed yeſterday the Merrimack left her convoy all well on the 16th March, in lat. 25, and at leaſt 12 degrees or 720 miles diſtant from where ſhe was taken on the 21ſt. This contradicts, or at leaſt invalidates, the above diſagreeable news, and gives us ſufficient ground to hope that the capture, if made at all, is not the Merrimack, and probably not a veſſel belonging to the United States.] (Fed Gaz)

OFFICIAL.

Extract of a letter from Captain Morris, of the frigate Adams, dated March 8.

"On my laſt cruize, which commenced on the 24th of January, and expired on the 1ſt of March I recaptured the American ſchooner Iſabella, of and from Portland, bound to Trinidad, a prize to the French corvette Le Berceau; and captured three French privateers—the firſt Le Gembeau, a ſmall boat, with four ſwivels and 16 men; the 2d L'Heureuſe, a ſchooner of 35 tons, 4 guns and 50 men; ſhe had taken two prizes, which reduced her to 29 men, threw 3 of her guns, boat, ſpare ſpars, &c. over in the chace.

"The other the General Maſſena, of 80 tons, 6 guns and 49 men, 30 hours from Guadaloupe, had taken nothing; threw 4 guns and boat over in the chace."

From a London Paper.

Paris Scandal.—The Firſt Conſul, whoſe good ſenſe and *Experience* ſay the French papers, appear on every occaſion, is well aware of the inconveniences to which Married Men, "far from their native homes," are expoſed, His friend Tallien is now in Egypt, where he has been certainly beyond the period allowed by any Code of Laws for the legitimation of any infants that his good Lady may think proper to bring forth.

A few days ago, Madame *Tallien* waited on *Buonaparte*, in a ſituation which promiſed ſoon to add to the number of his ſubjects. The Chief Conſul, however, conſidering how bad an example this was in families, refuſed to ſee her. Sad effects theſe of the Egyptian Expedition!

NEW-YORK, APRIL 10.

Yeſterday morning Judge Waſhington delivered his opinion in the caſe of the Amelia.

The Amelia was a Hamburgh ſhip and taken in September laſt, in going from Calcutta to Europe, by a French privateer. After remaining about ten days in her poſſeſſion, ſhe was recaptured by the Conſtitution frigate, commanded by capt. Talbot. The ſhip and cargo were libelled in the diſtrict court, and one half of the nett proceeds given to the recaptors as ſalvage. From this decree the owners appealed to the Circuit Court of the United States. The appeal was agreed to on Saturday laſt. Mr. Burr and Mr. B. Livingſton contended that the decree of the diſtrict court ſhould be reverſed *in toto*, or that a much ſmaller ſalvage ſhould be allowed. Gen. Hamilton and Mr. Harriſon argued in favor of the decree.

Judge Waſhington, after taking notice of the arguments on both ſides, gave his decided opinion that no ſalvage was due, and therefore reverſed the decree of the diſtrict court.

It is but juſtice to judge Waſhington to ſay, that we have never heard an opinion delivered in a manner more amiable, elegant, or perſpicuous.

We underſtand the Amelia and her cargo ſold for about 200,000 dollars, the whole of which will now be paid to the owners.

APRIL 11.

THE LAUNCH.

Yeſterday morning preciſely at 10 o'clock, was launched from the upper ſhip-yard, the U. S. ſhip Preſident, rated 44 guns. The launch was conducted by Mr. Cheeſeman, with great precaution, and in a manner highly ſatisfactory to a large concourſe of ſpectators, who had aſſembled on the occaſion. Never before did we witneſs a more graceful and magnificent deſcention into Neptune's element than the preſent; and we think it but juſtice to Mr. Cheeſeman to ſay, ſhe is pronounced by thoſe who profeſs to be judges, one of the fineſt ſhips in point of elegance in architecture, that ever floated.

Agreeable to Brigade orders, the 6th regiment, under the command of Col. Morton, the artillery, under the command of major Curtenius, and ſeveral other uniform companies, marched on the ground in front of the ſhip at 9 o'clock, and immediately on her touching the water, federal ſalutes were fired from the U. S. ſhip Portſmouth, from the Aſpacia, Indiaman, and from the Revenue Cutter Jay: which were anſwered by the artillery from the ſhore; after which the ſeveral uniform companies fired a fue de joye, and marched off the ground to the battery, where they performed various military evolutions with accuracy, and in a ſoldier like manner, which reflects honour upon themſelves as well as their officers. We are happy to obſerve that during the whole time the utmoſt harmony prevailed, and no accidents happened.

WAR
Againſt the American Commerce.

Calcutta, Sept. 4.

A veſſel is lately arrived at Tranquebar, from the Iſle of France. By this conveyance we learn, that in conſequence of the various accounts which had reached the iſland, of the hoſtilities which had taken place between the French Republican veſſels and the Americans, governor Malartic, iſſued the following Proclamation on the 24th of June laſt:—

LIBERTY EQUALITY

French Republic, one and indiviſible.

PROCLAMATION.

Anne Joſeph Hipolite Malartic, general in chief, Governor General of the Iſles of France and Re-Union, and Commander in Chief of the French eſtabliſhments to the eaſtward of the Cape of Good Hope.

Conſidering the different reports that have been made ſince the 24th of laſt Pluvioſe, by the captains of foreign and neutral ſhips arrived at this colony.

Conſidering the certificate delivered to the Daniſh ſhip, the 4th of May, 1799, (O. S.) by an American ſhip of war, and commiſſioned to that effect by the Congreſs of the United States of America.

Seeing that it reſults from all theſe documents and certificates, that hoſtilities have exiſted ſince the 9th of July, 1798. (O. S.) between France and the ſaid ſtates, and that the aſſembly itſelf recognized them by its arrette of the 21 laſt Floreal.

We require their tribunals to pronounce the confiſcation of all the American veſſels, which have been or ſhall be brought into this port, as well as of the property with which they may be laden.

Done at Port North Weſt, Iſle of France, 5th Meſſidor, the 7th year of the French Republic, one and indiviſible.

(Signed) MALARTIC.

True copy of the original, publiſhed the 24th of June, 1799.

(Signed)

Le Chevalier de PELGROM, Imperial, Daniſh and Tuſcan Conſul General.

PETERSBURG, APRIL 11.

CURIOUS FACT.

On Wedneſday laſt a cow (the property of Mr. James Robinſon jun. of this place) was taken ſick and ſuddenly died: She was opened and in her maw were found ſix black balls of about three inches diameter, of a hard callous ſubſtance externally, and perfectly ſmooth, and internally appeared to be hair of a fine and delicate texture, forming within a ſmaller ball not perfectly coherent with the outward ſhell —— Thoſe balls were entirely looſe within the maw. One of them is depoſited at Durell's Tavern.

RICHMOND, APRIL 1.

On Saturday ſennight at a dancing party, at Rocketts, a white man was killed by a negro. He received a ſtroke over the head with a bottle, and died on Tuesday morning laſt.

Two fellows have been committed to priſon, concerning this affair. A white man gives evidence that a free black ſtruck the perſon who has been killed. Two blacks, on the contrary ſwear that he was wounded by a fellow who is a ſlave.—So both of the accuſed are in jail.—It is agreed, on all ſides, that the candles were put out at the time of giving the blow.

This murder is one of the numerous and execrable diſorders attendant upon negro dances. Why are not theſe receptacles of vice, theſe abyſſes of abomination, ſuppreſſed by the magiſtrates

APRIL 11.

On Tueſday evening laſt, a duel was fought near this city, between captain Meriwether Jones, and James Rind, Eſq —We have not learnt the particulars of this affair, except that the latter gentleman received a wound in the body; but we are happy to hear it is not likely to prove mortal.

PHILADELPHIA, APRIL 10.

We hear from reſpectable authority, that the frigate Philadelphia is ordered to the Guadaloupe ſtation.

BALTIMORE, APRIL 12.

By a letter from Philadelphia, we learn that the Kenſington from London, had arrived in the Delaware. She muſt have left Europe between the 20th February and 1ſt of March, and late news may be expected by her, which we ſhall endeavour to get poſſeſſed of as ſoon as poſſible, and lay before our readers without delay.

Public Sale.

THIS DAY,

At 10 o'clock, will be ſold at the Vendue-Store,

Fourth proof Cogniac Brandy in pipes
Whiſkey in tierces & barrels
Sugar in hogſheads tierces and barrels
Moliaſſes in hhds. and barrels
Beef and Pork in barrels
Mould and dipt Candles in boxes
Soap in boxes
Smoaking Tobacco in papers, &c.

Together with

A general aſſortment of DRY GOODS;

Amongſt which are

Lappet, tamboured and Jaconet Muſlins, Muſlin Handk'fs, Shawls, Scotch Threads, &c.

Likewiſe a quantity of

Excellent Bacon.

ALSO,

Hyſon and Young Hyſon Teas, of a ſuperior quality. The terms will be made known previous to the ſale.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

April 15.

Sale of Books.

On Saturday Evening next,

At 6 o'clock, will be ſold, at the Vendue-Store,

A Collection of

New and valuable Books;

Amongſt which are

Anderſon's Life of Johnſton; Cooper's America; Hiſtory of China, 2 vols. Hiſtory of Spain, 2 vols. Robertſon's Hiſtory of India; Robertſon's Hiſtory of Greece; Kaimes's Criticiſm; Home's Sketches; Radcliff's Journey; Saugnier and Briſſon's Voyages; Enfield's Philoſophy; a few elegant Maps and Charts, &c. &c.

☞ Part of the above collection of Books was advertiſed for ſale laſt Saturday evening, but was poſtponed from the badneſs of the weather. They will now be poſitively ſold at the time above mentioned without reſerve.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

April 15.

Sales by Auction.

TO-MORROW,

At 10 o'clock, will be ſold, at our Auction-Room,

Rum in hogſheads
Whiſkey and Apple Brandy in barrels
Soap and Candles in boxes
Coffee in bags
Raiſins in kegs
Beef and Salmon in barrels
40 buſhels of Seed Potatoes,
A large Bow Window with Shutters, &c

ALSO,

8 hhds. Moliaſſes of excellent quality
5 Cheſts Young Hyſon Tea } at 60
20 Bags Coffe } days.

Together with

A VARIETY OF

DRY GOODS;

Amongſt which are

Calicoes, Muſlins, Cotton Stockings, Chintzes, Ginghams, Cloths, &c.

HEWES & MILLER, Auct.

April 15.

TO BE RENTED,

A Convenient DWELLING HOUSE, on Fairfax Street, now occupied by the ſubſcriber. Poſſeſſion may be had on the 5th of May.

R. VEITCH.

April 15. 3tw—2awtf

FOR SALE,

The following Property:

A Tract of Land, in Loudoun County, near the Blue Ridge; on which the Subſcriber now lives, containing 311 acres of level farming land; a good part of which may be eaſily converted into meadow, about 200 acres are in wood, and the remainder ready for farming. There are on the premiſes a frame houſe, two ſtories high, 46 by 32 feet, ye unfiniſhed, and ſeveral uſeful out houſes.

Alſo, a Tract of Land, in Stafford County, containing 137 acres; on which are an excellent orchard, and ſeveral houſes, a little out of repair. There is a leaſe on this land for a few years, the tenant paying me a rent of 2000 wt. of Tobacco.

Likewiſe, a Leaſe for 165 Acres of Land, in the Manor of Leeds, in Loudoun County, adjoining the leaſe of Samuel Bartlett; on which there is an abundance of valuable timber, none of it being ever cut down.

As the ſubſcriber is deſirous of removing to the Weſtward, a great bargain will be given; the terms of which will be made known on application to him on the firſt mentioned land.

THOMAS A. HEREFORD.

April 14. 1aaf

Mount-Vernon Fiſhery.

THE Subſcriber intends carrying on the above Fiſhery for the Seaſon, at the mouth of Dogue Creek, by running two Seines conſtantly by proper hands employed thereat.

He therefore takes the liberty of informing the public, (as well as the former cuſtomers to this Fiſhery) that he is determined to ſell Shad and Herring from the Seine on as low terms as any other in the neighbourhood.

☞ Caſh, Wheat, Rye, or Corn, at the Alexandria market price, will be accepted in payment.

JAMES ANDERSON.

Mount-Vernon, March 16, 1800. 2w

For Sale,

TWENTY Tons of TIMOTHY HAY, of good quality. The price one Dollar per hundred at this place, when not leſs than 1500lbs. are taken away at a time.

SAMUEL LOVE.

Saliſbury, April 5, 1800. 3t

For Sale,

A Negro Man and his Wife, for a term of years—Alſo, a Negro Boy, about 12 years of age. The man is accuſtomed to gardening and taking care of horſes.

N. B. A quantity of Cord Wood for Sale.

For farther particulars apply to the Printer of the Columbian Mirror.

March 16. 3w1aw

Just Published,

And for Sale, at

Cottom & Stewart's

BOOK-STORE,

FUNERAL DIRGE,

Played by the

ALEXANDRIA BAND,

At the Funeral of

GENERAL WASHINGTON,

Adapted for the Harpsichord—Price 25 Cents.

February 18. 4t

Andrew & W'm Ramlay

HAVE IMPORTED,

In the Perseverance, from London, lately arrived at Baltimore,

The following Goods,

Which they are now opening, at their Warehouse, King Street:

Brown Rolls in Bales
British oznaburg in do.
German do. in do.
Cotton and linen checks in cases
Dowlas in do.
Irish linen in do.
Brown do. in do.
Diaper cloths in do.
Russia sheeting in bales
Best London superfine cloths & cassimers in trunks

A few double and single barreled guns and pistols, with mahogany cases and apparatus complete, equal, if not superior, to any ever imported into this country;

All of which they will dispose of on moderate terms, for Cash or short Credit.

They expect a further supply of Goods by the first arrivals from London.

January 16. tf

GARDEN SEEDS,

JUST IMPORTED AND FOR SALE BY

JAMES KENNEDY, Jun.

Marrowfat Pease, Early do. Dwarf Prussian do. Early Beans, Cress, Red Beet, Short top Radish, Turnip do. Salmon do. Orange Carrot, Deptford Onion, Spinage, Scotch Leek, Broad leav'd Endive, Curled do Green Savoy, Brussels Sprouts, Curled Parsley, Cos Lettuce, Cabbage do. Brown Dutch do. Long Cucumber, Solid Celery, Yellow Turnip, Scotch do. large Scotch do. Mustard, Rock Melon.

The above seeds were put up last October, by one of the first Seedsman in London.

He has also for Sale,

A quantity of Drugs, Patent Medicines, Dye Stuffs, paints, &c.

He has removed his shop from Fairfax Street, between Fairfax and Water Street.

Joshua Riddle

Respectfully informs the Public that

HE HAS JUST RECEIVED,

From Boston,

A Variety of SHOES,

Which, added to his former supply, makes his assortment in that line very complete.

He has on Hand

A choice collection of fresh Teas of every kind, sugar, coffee, chocolate, pepper, allspice, ginger, nutmegs, &c. together with

A neat assortment of Dry Goods,

American & London Seine Twine, &c.

The whole of which he is determined to sell on very moderate terms, for ready payment only.

Those indebted to him are earnestly solicited to call and settle their respective balances.

February 27. tf

John Duffey,

At his COMB MANUFACTORY,

Fairfax Street,

HAS JUST RECEIVED

A large Quantity of

WHIPS;

Also, a variety of

Sword and other Canes.

He has on Hand

A general assortment of Horn, Ivory and Tortoise Shell Combs.

The whole of the above articles will be sold at the most reduced prices.

April 1.

ABEL WILLIS

HAS FOR SALE

1 Pipe of French Brandy, 4th proof
60 Barrels of New York prime Pork
200 Bushels of best Lisbon Salt
6 Bales of fresh, soft shelled Almonds
20 Frails of fresh Figs.

ALSO,

Green grapes by the jar, raisins by the cask and box, olives by the jar, Lisbon oranges by the box, lemons, fresh rice, a fresh assortment of Teas, filberts, and a number of other fruits and groceries—all of which he will sell low for Cash.

March 4.

TO BE SOLD OR RENTED,

A Framed HOUSE and Half an Acre of GROUND, situated on the West end of the Stone Bridge, near Alexandria. The House is two stories high, and has a good Kitchen adjoining.

For terms apply to Mr. Hanson Thomas, or Mr. Isham Bowling, near the premises.

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REMOVAL.

THE Subscriber has removed his Store from Prince to Fairfax Street, where he offers

FOR SALE,

A variety of

Seasonable Goods,

CONSISTING OF

Coarse and fine cloths
Kerseymeres and swansdowns
Flannels, baizes, and coatings
Blankets and blanketing
Velvets, thicksets, and corduroys
Worsted, cotton, and silk hose
Stuffs, calicoes, and chinzes
Plain, japanned, and tamboared muslins
Shawls and handkerchiefs
Silks and riboons assorted
Irish and German linens
Ostrich and bunch feathers
A general assortment of Gloves
White beads and umbrellas
Shoes and hats
Loaf sugar

An elegant assortment of

WATCHES AND JEWELLERY.

as usual,

And a variety of other articles.

ALSO

A Forte Piano,

a little out of repair, to be sold very low.

A. C. CAZENOVE.

December 21.

WILL BE SOLD

ON THE FIRST OF MAY NEXT,

NINE HUNDRED & FIFTY EIGHT ACRES

Good Farming Land,

IN Prince William County, Virginia, lying on the waters of Broad Run, about 30 miles from Alexandria, and 15 from Dumfries. It is unnecessary to say any thing of the improvements on the land, as those who are inclined to purchase it is presumeable will first view the property. One half the purchase money will be required on the day of sale, the remainder in 12 months.

B. DULANY, Jun.

December 28.

George Clementson

HAS REMAINING ON HAND THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES:

80 Doz. scythes, common and German, from 46 to 54 inches
6 Boxes hardware, consisting of table knives and forks, pocket and pen knives, women's scissors, razors cases, curry, combs, White Chapel needles, &c.
10 Bundles garden spades
2 Do. Fryingpans
6 Casks sad irons assorted
1 Bale Whitehaven osnaburgs
2 Boxes brown Hollands
6 Pieces stout 5-4 white sheetings
1 Box 7-8 calicoes
1 Do. coloured threads
1 Do. fine hats
20 Kegs white paint
20 Barrels brown sugar
A few reams writing paper, and
A few dozen common leather gloves,

Which he will dispose of on reasonable terms, for Cash or approved Notes; or he will barter the whole, or any part, for Tobacco of the upper Inspections. Apply at his dwelling house, on St. Asaph Street.

February 2. tf

Commission, Ship Broker

AND

Conveyancer's Office,

In the Brick House, near the Bank, opposite Printing-Office of Mr. Price.

FROM a view of the new Navigation and Revenue Laws of the United States, I have been encouraged to open the above Office, from a belief that the said laws require more attention than persons in general concerned in trade and navigation will find convenient to pay them, in order to avoid incurring the penalties inflicted for not complying with the requisitions thereof. Where every form and instrument of writing appertaining to shipping, entry, clearance, imports, exports, excise, drawbacks and debentures, required by the laws of the United States and the officers of the government may be had. I have also taken such steps as will, in a short time, insure me accurate information respecting the restrictions on our trade in foreign countries, and particularly at such foreign port or place where an American consul or agent may reside, with the formalities necessary to be observed, and the fees, duties, &c. payable thereat.

VINCENT GRAY.

Alexandria, February 25, 1800.

To Cover at Mount Vernon

THE WELL KNOWN JACK

KNIGHT of MALTA.

HE will stand for this season at Mount Vernon Mills, and will cover Mares at the reduced price of Eight Dollars each—and a half a dollar to the Groom, to be paid before the mares are taken away. The season will commence the 1st day of April, and end the 1st day of August, ensuing.

☞ Good and extensive pasturage gratis—but no responsibility for escapes, or accidents.

JAMES ANDERSON.

March 18, 1800. tf

THE CELEBRATED RUNNING HORSE

MUFTI,

Imported last August by John Tayloe, Esq. of Mount Airy,

Is certainly from the best

stock in England, as will appear from Mr. Tayloe's certificate below. He is a fine bay, full fifteen hands and one inch high, of great strength and activity, finely formed, and uncommonly handsome. From great performances as as a racer, &c. and after the first of his get appeared on the turf, he covered at Woburn, in England, at Ten Guineas a mare, and Half a Guinea to the Groom; of which I am possessed of documents that will not be doubted.

Mufti will stand at this place to cover Mares from the date hereof until the tenth of August next, at Twelve Dollars the Leap, or Twenty Five Dollars the Season, with a Dollar to the Groom, in every instance, which must be paid in hand. No mare is to be considered as going by the leap, unless the money is paid on the day of covering. A legal note for twenty-five dollars must be sent with each mare that is put by the season, payable the 20th of August next; except those that remain at pasture, and for them payment will be expected before they are removed. If twenty dollars are paid by the last of July, it will be received in full for the season of a mare, grooms fee excepted.

I shall have a large quantity of excellent pasture, both high and low ground, well enclosed, at Forty Cents per week, for mares brought ten miles or upwards; and every attention will be paid to mares left in my care, but no responsibility for losses or casualties of any kind. The mares may be fed on application, the grain provided at the market price, and gentlemen's servants attending their mares boarded on moderate terms.

SAMUEL LOVE.

Salisbury, March 18, 1800.

Pedigree and performances of the beautiful Horse Mufti, lately purchased from the Stud of his Grace the Duke of Bedford.

He was bred by Mr. Moon, of Norwich, and was got by Fitzherod, one of the best sons of King Herod; his dam by Infant, son of the Godolphin Arabian; grand dam by Whittington, out of the full sister to Black-and-all-Black.

In 1780, when three years old, and the property of his royal highness the Prince of Wales (who purchased him of Major Churchill) Mufti won a match of 100 Guineas each, at New-Market, beating Mr. Wyndham's Prodigal, Rowley's mile. The following meeting he ran a dead heat with Sir C. Bunbury's Young Tityrus, 8st. each, Abington mile, for 200 Guineas each. Young Tityrus won the plate of three years, two days afterwards, when eleven started.

In 1787, when the property of Richard Vernon, Esq. he received 100 guineas compromise from Lord Derby's Wren, 8st. each, Ditch in, 200 guineas—At 8st. 7lb. he beat the Duke of Queensberry's Young Giant, 7st. 13lb. two miles, for 400 guineas—and received 37 guineas compromise from Mr. Fox's Braganza.

In 1788 Mufti won the Craven Stakes at New-Market, when twelve started, beating Scota, Nimble, &c.—won a Sweepstake of 300 guineas each, across the Flat, beating Midget, and receiving forfeit from Pharamond. He also received forfeit from Mr. Fox's Braganza, giving 3 y. D. I. for 200 guineas, h. ft. and was afterwards purchased by his Grace the Duke of Bedford.

In 1789 Mufti did not appear in public, being his Grace's Trial Horse.

In 1790 Mufti won all his engagements, viz. a match against Lord Bangmore's Highlander, for 100 guineas; a handsome sweepstake of 50 guineas each (7 subscribers) D. I. beating Magpie, Seagull, &c.—and a match, beating Don Quixotte, across the Flat, for 200 each; all at New-Market.

In 1791 he won the Craven Stakes at New-Market, when 15 started; amongst which were Crupper, Don Quixotte, Harpator, &c.—At 9st. 1½lb. he beat the Prince of Wales's Gluces, 7st 4lb. across the Flat, for 200 guineas each—At 8st. 7lb. each, he beat the Prince of Wales's Pegasus, a match for 1000 guineas each across the Flat.

In 1792 Mufti came in second for the Craven Stakes, beating Asparagus, Coriander and 7 others—and at 8st. 7lb. beat his royal highness the Duke of York's Serpent—8st. a match over the Beacon Course, for 200 guineas each. This was the last year of his running, after which he became a stallion, at Woburn; and in 1796, the first of his get that started won a sweepstake of 100 guineas each, at New-Market, when six started, and one paid forfeit.—The same Colt won several times in the following year.

Mufti is 15 hands and one inch high, and both in and out of training, was esteemed one of the most beautiful horses in England.

I do certify the above to be a true copy of the Pedigree and Performances of Mufti, as sent me by Mr. Weatherby (author of the Racing Calender, and Match Book-Keeper, at New-Market) who purchased the Horse.

JOHN TAYLOE.

March 10, 1800. 12awgw—12f3t

Two Apprentices wanted to the printing business

Lands for Sale, or exchange for other Property.

SEVEN hundred and eighty-eight acres in the county of Hampshire, on the waters of Great Cape Capon, about 20 miles from the Warm Springs, and 30 from Winchester.—This land is full of wood, oak and Pine Timber. Two excellent farms may be made, with 30 to 50 acres of bottom, and rich high lands to each; and in the heart of the timber there is a fine seat for a saw-mill. Capt. Daniel Rice will shew the lands.

Three thousand eight hundred and forty-five acres in the county of Ohio, on the waters of Grave and Fish creeks, near the river Ohio, and about 80 miles below Pittsburg. Some of these lands are very good, with considerable quantities of rich bottom, and plenty of excellent timber. Robert Woods, Esq. the Surveyor of that county, will shew these lands.

One hundred seventy six and three-fourth acres, within three miles of the Warm Springs, upon Great Cape-Capon, near its mouth, and within ¼ of a mile of the River Potomak. This land has about 70 to 80 acres of rich bottom, mostly in cultivation, with 274 fine *sugar trees* on it; from which, I am informed, there may be made 3000lb. of good sugar annually. There is also a seat for grist and saw mills on it, equal to any in that neighbourhood, and upon a never failing stream of water. The upland is rich, with plenty of timber, and part under cultivation. This farm is well improved with a good orchard, houses and fencing, and rented last year for produce equal to sixty pounds per an. Mr. Joseph Butler, at the Warm Springs, will shew it. I will sell all, or any of the above lands for cash, or upon credit, or take in exchange for them lands in Fairfax County, or Lots of land in the town of Alexandria, or the city of Washington.

R. T. HOOE.

Jan. 22, 1800. tf

☞ NOTICE.

IF JAMES THOMPSON, the Son of James and Catharine Thompson, (or the heirs of his body, if they be living) will apply to the Subscriber, in Charles County, State of Maryland, he or they will hear of something to his or their advantage, by the death of his Mother and Brother. The aforesaid James Thompson's Father died some years past, after which his Mother married a certain James Wood.

JOHN MARSHALL.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY, from the Subscriber, an indented Servant Man, named NATHAN LEAR, about 30 years of age, pitted with the small pox, black hair, long nose, pale complexion, about 5 feet 10 inches high, and stout made—It is difficult to tell of what nation he is, as he is a good scholar, and speaks French, Dutch, Spanish, Portuguese and Hebrew; says he was bred in the Jewish religion. He took with him a pair of blue trowsers, a pair of drab do. a light mixed broadcloth coat, with a black cape, a do. of the same colour, patched on the side, three or four waistcoats, one of which was green and white striped, two linen shirts, no shoes or stockings but those he wore off, and a new felt hat. He went off with a Dutchman, about his own size, named Bush Cose, a sail-maker by trade. The above reward, with all reasonable charges, will be paid for apprehending the above servant and lodging him in any jail in the United States.

ZACHARIAH KEEN,

Sign of the Moon and Stars, Fell's Point, Baltimore, March 25. 4t

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I DO hereby request that all those, either in Country or Town, who are now indebted to the Printing Business, lately conducted by Henry Gird, jun. will please to make immediate payment to Messrs. Bennett & Watts, of Alexandria, with whom the Books are lodged. If this request is not attended to, suits will be commenced generally.

JOHN FOWLER.

April 1, 1800. 3w

Just Received

AND FOR SALE BY

Josiah Faxon, & Co.

BOSTON and Rhode-Island Lime, a quantity of Lymington Salt, suitable for the Fisheries; 50 Boxes of Window Glass, of the following sizes, 6 by 8, 7 by 9, 8 by 10, and 10 by 12; 20 Casks of Malaga Wine; Mould and Dipt Candles; a few Boxes of Chocolate; Gin in Cases; Mackerel and Herrings in Barrels; Loaf Sugar; a quantity of New England Plank, and a general assortment of BOOTS and SHOES as usual, which will be sold on moderate terms.

N. B. A few first quality GRIND STONES.

March 25. 3wep

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A House on Fairfax-Street,

and another on Water Street. Apply for terms to JAMES KENNEDY, jun.

March 15.

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